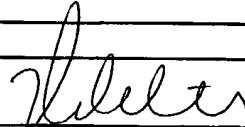


LIST OF PRIOR ART CITED BY APPLICANT (PTO-1449)				ATTY. DOCKET NO. CI-0006		APPLN. SERIAL NO. 09/960,704	
				APPLICANT(S) William N. DROHAN, Wilson BURGESS, David M. MANN, Martin J. MacPHEE			
FILING DATE September 24, 2001				GROUP 1645		RECEIVED OCT 06 2003 TECH CENTER 1800/2900	
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
EXAMINER'S INITIALS	*PATENT NO.	*ISSUE DATE	*INVENTOR NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE	
<i>W</i>	6,346,216 B1	02/12/02	KENT	422	22	05/15/00	
<i>W</i>	6,312,931 B1	11/06/01	O'DWYER et al.	435	173.1	02/11/00	
<i>W</i>	6,358,284 B1	03/19/02	FEARNOT et al.	623	23.72	06/02/99	
<i>W</i>	6,375,989 B1	04/23/02	BADYLAK et al.	424	551	06/10/99	
<i>N</i>	6,384,419 B1	05/07/02	PURTLE	250	526	03/30/00	
<i>N</i>	6,461,630 B1	10/08/02	TUCKER et al.	424	423	11/30/99	
<i>N</i>	6,485,723 B1	11/26/02	BADYLAK et al.	424	93.7	05/08/00	
<i>N</i>	4,877,866	10/31/89	RUDNICK et al.	530	387	11/18/87	
<i>N</i>	6,383,810 B2	05/07/02	FIKE et al.	435	384	02/13/98	
U.S. PATENT APPLICATION PUBLICATIONS							
	*PATENT APPLN. PUB. NO.	*PUB. DATE	*APPLICANT	CLASS	SUBCLASS		
<i>W</i>	US2002/0064807 A1	04/30/02	BADYLAK et al.	435	34	11/14/01	
<i>W</i>	US2002/0106394 A1	08/08/02	TUCKER et al.	424	423	09/18/01	
<i>W</i>	US2002/0188319 A1	12/12/02	MORRIS et al.	606	213	06/10/02	
<i>W</i>	US2003/0068815 A1	04/10/03	STONE et al.	435	325	05/17/02	
<i>W</i>	US2001/0049141 A1	12/06/01	FIKE et al.	435	384	02/13/98	
U.S. PATENT APPLICATIONS							
	*APPLN. NO.	*FILING DATE	*INVENTOR	CLASS	SUBCLASS		
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
EXAMINER'S INITIALS	PATENT NO.	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	Translation	
						Yes	No
<i>W</i>	EP0808167 B1	06/05/02	EPO				
<i>W</i>	EP0820301 B1	07/24/02	EPO				
<i>W</i>	WO 00/28552	05/18/00	PCT				
OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Publisher, Place of Publication, Etc.)							
<i>W</i>	P.V. Kapanin et al., "Feasibility of liposome cryoradiation sterilization," Khimiko-Farmatsevticheskii Zhurnal, 1988, Vol. 22(4), Abstract, pp. 479-82.						
EXAMINER <i>[Signature]</i>				DATE CONSIDERED <i>02/09/2004</i>			

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to Applicant.

LIST OF PRIOR ART CITED BY APPLICANT (PTO-1449)				ATTY. DOCKET NO. CI-0006		APPLN. SERIAL NO. 09/960,704	
				APPLICANT(S) William N. DROHAN, Wilson BURGESS, and M. MANN, Martin J. MacPHEE			
				FILING DATE September 24, 2001		GROUP 1645	
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
EXAMINER'S INITIALS	*PATENT NO.	*ISSUE DATE	*INVENTOR NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE	
<i>W</i>	3,962,038	06/08/76	KAWASHIMA et al.	195	68	04/10/74	
<i>W</i>	4,894,253	01/16/90	HEINEMAN et al.	427	36	08/08/88	
<i>W</i>	5,002,766	03/26/91	RANSBERGER et al.	424	94.2	09/23/88	
<i>W</i>	5,965,349	10/12/99	LIN et al.	435	2	03/17/97	
<i>N</i>	5,958,669	09/28/99	OGLE et al.	435	1.1	05/02/97	
<i>W</i>	5,911,951	06/15/99	GIRARDOT et al.	422	28	02/09/98	
U.S. PATENT APPLICATION PUBLICATIONS							
	*PATENT APPLN. PUB. NO.	*PUB. DATE	*APPLICANT	CLASS	SUBCLASS		
U.S. PATENT APPLICATIONS							
	*APPLN. NO.	*FILING DATE	*INVENTOR	CLASS	SUBCLASS		
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
EXAMINER'S INITIALS	PATENT NO.	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	Translation	
						Yes	No
<i>W</i>	JP 408098688A	04/16/96	Japan			Abs	
<i>W</i>	WO 00/52031	09/08/00	PCT				
OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Publisher, Place of Publication, Etc.)							
EXAMINER				DATE CONSIDERED 02/09/2004			

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, red, white, or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to Applicant.

(PTO-1449)

APPLN. SERIAL NO.
09/960,704

APPLICANT(S)
William N. DROHAN, Wilson BURGESS, David
M. MANN, Martin J. MacPHEE

FILING DATE
September 24, 2001

**GROUP
1645**

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

[illegible]

U.S. PATENT APPLICATION PUBLICATIONS

	*PATENT APPLN. PUB. NO.	*PUB. DATE	*APPLICANT	CLASS	SUBCLASS	

U.S. PATENT APPLICATIONS

	*APPLN. NO.	*FILING DATE	*INVENTOR	CLASS	SUBCLASS	

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER'S INITIALS	PATENT NO.	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	Translation	
						Yes	No

OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Publisher, Place of Publication, Etc.)

W	Robert J. Woods, "Food Irradiation," Endeavor, New Series, Vol. 18, No. 3, 1994, pp. 104-108.
W.	A. Dziedzic-Goclawska et al., "Sterilisation of Tissue Allografts," Advances in Tissue Banking, Vol. 1, pp. 261-321.
W	M.J. Goertzen et al., "Sterilisation of Canine Anterior Cruciate Allografts by Gamma Irradiation in Argon," Journal of Bone and Joint Surgery (Corrections), Vol. 77-B, No. 2, March 1995, pp. 205-212.
EXAMINER	DATE CONSIDERED 02/09/04

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to Applicant.